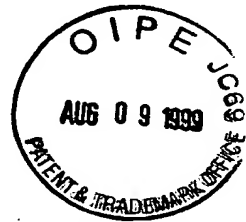


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Enclosed is a copy of a set of Formal Drawings (2 sheets, Figs. 1-3) submitted for substitution for the Informal Drawings submitted in the above-identified application. It is respectfully requested that the enclosed Formal Drawings be substituted for those currently on file.

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